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BREWEIT has just added to his "NEW SERIES OF PHOTOGRAPHS." Irvine, Shanghai 26th January, Gene-MARITIMES. PAID-UP CAPITAL ... \$5,000,000, Public Anotion, INSTALMENT received | 926,765.62. VIEWS OF HOTROW and neighbourhood, rul.—Jardine, Matheson & Co. Removes all Organic and Inorgenie Im-THIS DAY, Also has now on view on NEW SHARE January 30, WHAMPOA, British str., 1,109, the 31st day of January, 1884, (unless previously disposed of by private Contract) at 11 A.M.; Mr. GRIFFTH'S Now Series of PHOTOGRAPHS purities, Lead, Copper, and Poisonous Gases. J. E. Williams, Saigon 25th Jan., Rice. CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamships "INDUS" and "GANGE," of NEW BORNEO and NEW GUINEA. RESERVED FUND ... \$2,500,000. It Erates the Water. -BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. The STOCK-IN-TRADE, FIXTURES, and NEW MUSIC. INSTALMENTS Of PRE-January 80, Mark Lane, British str., 1,856, It can be taken to please and cleaned in every part FURNITURE of that well-known House called from London, in connection with the above WALTZES. mituar received on \$698,336.43, Robert Porter, Shanghai 26th January, the "CENTRAL HOTEL," situate at Nos Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium. Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their WINTERS HERBSKIEDER. NEW BHARRS It has been awarded 204 and 206, Queen's Boad Central. General,-Adamson, Bell & Co. LOTHEAN'S DAYS' RIDE. January SO, NATESDNIK, Russian corvette, Special Medal of Merit by the Sanitary YOLANDE. risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. A SMITH'S BILLIARD TABLE, BALL Institute of Great Britain: Kalogeras, Batan Island 27th January, COURT OF DIRECTORS :-CLAREMONT. CUES, &c., Complete.
TERMS, - Cash on delivery. Junuary 30. Duguay-Trouin, French corv., Silver Medal National Water Supply Exhibi-Chairman-WM. REINERS, Esq. VENETIA. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees WHITE LILIES. Doputy Chairman-W. S. Young, Esq. Muret de Paguac, Singapore 23rd Jan. J. M. GUEDES. tion. London: H. L. Dalrymple, Esq.
A. Galtzow, Esq.
Hon, F. B. Johnson.
A. P. McEwsn, Esq.
W. H. Forbes, Esq. LADYE MINE. January 30, Anton Gunther, German bark, before 10 A.M. TO-DAY, the 30th instant, requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Two Silver Medals International Food SONGS. A. Galtzow, Esq., Hon, F. B. Johnson. 459, F. Steinbrugge, Singapore 23rd Exhibition, London, 25th January, 1884. Bells of London, Parker. November, Timber. - MELCHERS & Co. A. P. McEwen, Esq. WON BY A ROSE, Rocckel, Two Certificates of Merit by Sanitary Institute, PUBLIC AUCTION. CHIEF MANAGER. IT Is NOT LOVE, Sullivan. Undersigned. Honghong-Thomas Jackson, Esq., Goods remaining unclaimed after WEDNES BEAUTIFUL BIRDS, Blanchard. CLEARANCES. THE Undersigned has received instructions MANAGER. DAY, the 6th Feb., at NOON; will be subject Certificate of Merit International Medical and WHAT WILL YOU DO, LOVE. to Sell by Public Auction, on AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. to rent and landing charges. Sanitary Exhibition, Kensington. NIGHTINGALE TRILL, Ganz. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK SATURDAY, JANUARY SOTH. All Claims must be sent in to me before the the 2nd February, 1884, at 2 P.M., at his PROMISE OF LOVE, Fullerton, Silver Medal Health Congress and Scientific Massalia, German str., for Saigon. 8th Feb., or they will not be recognized. And numerous others. Sales Rooms, Queen's Road. Exhibition. Brighton. Hongrong-Interest Allowed Feronia, German str., for Kobe. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Dr. STATUER'S ORGAN TUTOR. An Assertment of JAPANESE WARE, BRON-On Current Deposit Account at the rate of Mark Lane, British str., for London. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. NEW VIOLIN MUSIC. J. MARTIN. 2 per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. ZES, &c. Bonnie Lassie, British bark, for Singapore. Acting Agent. New Pocker Knives, Now Folding Pocker Comprising .-On Fixed Deposits — For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Aunum. 4th January, 1884. VASES, JARS, CARD DISHES, PLATES. 30th January, 1884. Else, German brig, for Tientsin. INCENSE BURNERS, TEA SETS. HGG W. BREWER, Rachel, British back, for Tientsin. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO, 267 THE MEDICAL HALL Queen's Road. SHELL WARE, BRONZES, ORNAMENTS For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "HECTOR." ESTABLISHED A.D. 1853. DEPARTURES. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. FROM LIVERPOOL. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. HAZEN VASES, from 51 inches to 66 CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and E. NIEDHARDI, PROPRIETOR, January 30, Posanc, British steamer, for LIMITED. inches high. every description of Banking and Exchange AKALYTICAL CHEMIST, SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 3rd Feb., TERMS OF SALE. - As Customary. business transacted. FOR SWATOW. AMOY, TAMSUI, AND January 30, TRUCER, British steamer, for J. M. ARMSTRONG. IMPORTER OF DRUGS AND CHEMICALS. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, for shipment per steamer "ANTENOR." TAIWANFOO. Auctionear. PATENT MEDICINES, PREFUMERY, TOILET BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. HE Company's Steamship 31st January, 1834. REQUISITES &c., &c. America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. 29th January, 1834. MANUFACTURER OF ARRATED WATERS PASSENGERS. "FORIEN." PUBLIC AUCTION. MEDICINE CHESTS SUPPLIED AND REFITTED. Offices of the Corporation, Captain Westoby, will be despatched for the OCEAN, STEAMSHIP COMPANY. ARRIVED. 1st January, 1884. No. 1. Queen's Road East, above Ports, TO-MORROW, the let February. HE Undersigned has received instructions Per Posang, str., from Shanghal Messrs. at DAYLIGHT, instead of as previously advertised. MARY MELROSE (the poor ? Miss VICTORIA Hongkong, 25th August, 1883. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer from the MORTGAGEE, to Sell by Public Cammins and Atkinson, and 10 Chinese. HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED. For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Auction, on Per Whampoo, str., from Saigon,-2 Chinese. are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns WEDNESDAY, Per Mark Lane, str., from Shanghai,-Mr. TRIENTAL BANK CORPORATION. NOTICE. the 6th February, at 8 o'clock, at the General Managers. and Mrs. Lang and 2 children. Per Djemah, str., from Honekong.—For ON and after the 1st October the PRICE sign.—Roys Jean Marie D. of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at 30th January, 1884. Premises, all that (INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER). Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for VALUABLE LEASEHOLD delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. PROPERTY. Saigon.—Revs. Jean Marie Poirier and Joseph | Pound. known as the Tung Hing Theatre, situate at 27th January, 1884.

Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong. Goods undelivered after the 2nd February. PAID-UP CAPITAL..... £1,500,000. LIMITED. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Noirjean, Messrs, André, Carof, Cheong Key, De RESERVE LIABILITY UN-7 £1,500,000. Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Comprising:— Lises, Chamberlain Schase, and A. C. Marshall DER CHARTER......5 General Managers. FOR SWATOW. AMO". AND FOOCHOW. SCENE,-Perkyn Middle wick's Country House. 1884, will be subject to Rent. and servant. For Singapore.—Messrs. T. Saddler, J. Brown, and Daniel da Co da and Chinase as-17th September, 1883, THE Company's Steat BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. All that Piece of GROUND Registered as LONDON BANKERS: INLAND LOT No. 700, and measuring 29th January, 1884. sistant, For Batavia. - Lient, and Mrs. Candido THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY BANK OF ENGLAND. "NAMO__ on the North 100 feet, on the South 100 A. da Silva and child, Dr. and Mrs. Luiz Franco. Union Bank of London, Limited. LIMITED. Captain Pitman, will be despatched for the NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. feet, on the East 200 feet, and on the West BANK OF SCOTLAND, LONDON. 2 children and servant, and one Portuguese selabove Ports on SUNDAY, the 3rd February, 200 feet, and containing in the whole 20,000 NOTICE: RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED dier. For Calcutts, Mr. Blum. For Suez. at DAYLIGHT. STEAMSHIP "KUMAMOTO MARU." aquare feet. H. Sibbald. For Marseilles, - Mrs. H. Fournier, ON DEPOSITS For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., FROM KOBE AND NAGASAKI, A S the Post of SECRETARY to the Company Together with the Theatre known as the Messrs. A. Sheppard, G. R. Hühn, H. E. Din-At 3 Months' Notice, 3 per Cent, per Annum, is about to become vacant, Applications Tung Hing Theatre and all the other At 6 Months' Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum. ner, and Allcot. From Shanghai. -- For Suez. --General Managers. Mr. F. C. Sibbald. For Marseilles.-Mr. and for same will be received at the Head Office up CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel erections and buildings thereon. Held for At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annum. 30th January, 1884. are hereby requested to send in their Bills the residue of a term of 999 years at the Yearly Crown Rent of \$66.12. to 1st February Next. Mrs. Bradfield, Messes. Dunn and Tournier. Current Accounts kept on Terms which may By Order of the Board of Directors. of Lading for Countersignature, and to take im-- learnt on application. TATANTED .- FURNISHED APART. mediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. WM. REINERS, For Further Particulars of the Property and J. MELVILLE MATSON, MBNTS for a single Gentleman. REPORTS. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining Chairman. Conditions of Salo, apply to SHARP, TOLLER, & JOHNSON, Level of Caine Road preferred. State Particuon board after MONDAY, the 28th instant The British steamer Mark Lane reports. left. 4th January, 1884. Hongkong, 1st June, 1882. lars. Address X, 214, Care of "Daily Press." Shanghai on the 26th inst., and had fine pleasant 1884, will be landed and stored at Consignees' Solicitors for the Mortgagee, 28th January, 1884. weather the whole of the passage down. expense and risk. AGENCIES ORIGINALLY ESTABLISH-No Fire Insurance will be effected. J. M. GUEDES. NOTICES OF FIRMS. COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS. ED IN CHINA IN 1847. The British steamer Whampoa reports left Austioncer. H. J. H. TRIPP. Saigon on the 25th inst., 11.30 a.m., and experi-14th Jonnary, 1884. NOTICE. YUTLER, PALMER & Co. enced fresh N.E. monsoon first part : latter part Mitsu Bishi Mail Steamship Co. NOTICE. WINE SHIPPERS. moderate wind and fine weather. 26th January, 1884. RARANGER has been appointed TO BE LET. call attention to some of the Specialities they Agent for this BANK, in Hongkong. TOROM THIS DATE Mr. E. NIEDHARDT The British steamer Posang reports left now consign to China, viz: -FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND becomes Proprietor of the DISPENSARY E. G. VOUILLEMONT. Shan hai on the 26th inst., and had light vari- Their Old .**** COGNAC; quality never TO LET. SINGAPORE. Manager. known as the MEDICAL HALL. ab a winds, cloudy dull weather, and smooth see | varies any more than does their *** COGNAC GODOWN, in Blue Buildings. HE Steamship The INTEREST of the Undersigned in that Shangbai, 23rd January, 1884. from port to port. On the 28th inst., spoke the quality. establishment CEASED on the Slat December, Glenray, Kwongsang, and Fu-yew, between Turn-Their own Blend of SCOTCH WHISKY. Captain Paulsen, having arrived from the Apply to T AWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP. C. P. CHATER. about and Ockseu, bound North. Highland Malt. above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby in-A. SINGLES-Entrance S2 each, TH. KOFFER. Their Genuine PORT for Invalid's use. 7th January, 1884. [110] formed that their Goods are being landed and 1st Prize Cup Presented. let January, 1884. Their SHERRY, which maintains a good AMOY SHIPPING. stored at their risk into the Godowns of the 2nd Prize......Recquet. TO LET: Undersigned, whence and from the wharves or Januari — Entries to be sent in to Hon. SEC. CRICKET ARRIVALS TWO BUNGALOWS, Nos. 33 and Their CLARETS, as produced in the vineboats delivery may be obtained. 22, Namos, British str., from Hongkon J. Chus, at the Hongkone Clus, by Noon of POREFULUM ROAD and TRIED STREET. 22. Fokion, British str., from Taiwanfoo, Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless TO-DAY, 31st instant. Apply to The ROYAL CHAMPAGNE, used by Her FETHE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. 22. Tientsin, British str., from Swatow. notice to the contrary be given before NOON. Conditions—Best of 3 Sats. BELILIOS & Co. HERMANN FRIEDRICH MEYER Majesty the Queen. TO.DAY, the 25th instant. 23, Esmeralda, British str., from Hongkong. Final Tie-Best of 5 Sets. These among other items are always to be had IN (in our Firm Chased on the let Jenuary, 28th January, 1884 23. Douglas, British str., from Fonchow. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 29th W. DE ST. CROIX. at the Godowns of our Friends 23, Tiong Sen . Chinese g-bt., from Feechow. instant, will be subject to rent. Hon. Sec. H. K. C. C. TO LET. JARDINE, MATRISON & Co., Hongkong and Mr. JOHANN HINRICH GARRELS is 23, Ling Feng, Cust. str., from Swatow, No Fire Insurance has been effected. 30th January, 1884. PATO. 8. SEYMOUR TERRACE. admitted a Partner from this date. . Nansago, British str., from Manila. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai, MEYER & Co. 24, Hailoong, British str., from Hongkong. SIEMSSEN & Co., TENDERS will be received at this OFFICE No. 25B, PRAYA CENTRAL. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong. 24, Chin Wei, Chinese g-bt., from Taiwanfoo. 1st January, 1884. until THIS DAY, the Sist January, 1884 Agents. We maintain quality, and our prices are 25, Kwangtung, British str., from H'kong. for SALVING the S. S. "HWAI YUEN'S" 25th January, 1884. DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co. consistent therewith and at the same time PREASURE, about SIXTY THOUSAND DOL DEPARTURES. 28th June, 1883. FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND 21, Woosung, British str., for Swatow. LARS, sunk in the North of Heishan Islands, ressonable. 22, Hilda Maria, Gorman bark, for Taiwanfoo, SINGAPORE. E have this may established a Branch of our Firm in Tamani. Formess, Mr. about 18 fathoms of water.___ TO LET. PRIVATE DANCES. THE Steamship 24, Namos, British str., for Foodhow. The Tenders will be forwarded to Shanghai our Firm in Tameni, Formesa. Mr. With Immediate Possession. 22, Tientsin, British str., for Shanghai. "GLENROY." for acceptance. WILFRED CHRISTY is authorised to sign WINOUSE No. 50, in UPPER PEEL STREET CHINA MERCHANTS S. N. Co. having arrived from the above Ports, Consignoes 22. Fokien, British sir., for Swatow. CIGNOR GIUSEPPE PENATI, Profeson our behalf per proguestion. of Cargo are hereby informed that their 23, Esmeralda, British str., from Manila. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. son of Musto in Hongkong, is open to 18th January, 1884. Apply to Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being Benelutha, British skr., for Singapore. ongagements as PIANIST at Private Dansing A. A. ECA DA SILVA. Hongkong, 1st January, 1884. landed at their risk into the Godowns of the LADIES' RECREATION CLUB. 23. Douglas, British atr., for Swatow, Parties. Charges strictly moderate. 48. Queen's Road Central. Undersigned, whence and from the Wharves or 24 Naushan, British str., for Hongkong, Address No. 24, Praya Central. 3rd January, 1884. THIS CLUB will be formally OPENED NOTICE. Boats delivery may be obtained. 23, Chin Wei, Uhinese g-ht., for Foochow, [2152 27th November, 1883. TO-MORROW, the 1st of February, at Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice 24 Hailcong British str for Taiwanfon TAR. GERALD SLADE and Mr. ALEX-THREE O'CLOOK, by Lady Bowen... ODOWNS Nos. 64 and 65, PRAYA EAST, to the contrary be given before 4 PM. TO 25. Ling Feng, Cast. str., for Fisher Island. KELLY AND WALSH, ANDER McCONACHIE are autho-All Members are invited to attend. BOWRINGTON. DAY, the 23rd instant. By the kind permission of Colonel Horson rized to sign our firm from this date. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 30th Apply to: NAGASAKI SHIPPING. GILMAN & Co. and Officers, the Band of the Buffs will be in LIST OF NEW MUSIC. D. NOWROJEE, instant, will be subject to rent. January-Hongkong and Foosbow, Pen and Penoil Waltres, -J. Lees. Victoria Hotel No Fire Insurance has been effected. 12, Waverley, British str., from Shanghai Myosotis Waltz, -Caroline Lowthian. 1st January, 1884. 26th January, 1884. 28th December, 1883. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by 12, Ben Nevis, British ship, from Yokohan Distant Londs Welts, Oscar Seydel. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. 13, Genkai Maro, Jap, str., from Kobs. ... PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM Government. Dawn of Day Waltz,-Bucalossi. TO LET. NOTICE 23rd January, 1884. 14, Kashgar, British str., from Hongkong, NAVIGATION COMPANY. OOMS in Club CRAMBERS. Mach ado about Nothing Waltz, -J. M. Ball. 14, Pechili, British str., from Shanghai. T HAVE THIS DAY admitted Mr. J. B. Kiss Waltz-Meyer Lutz. EAST POINT SUGAR REFINERS' CUPS 14, De Bay, British str., from Hongkong. QUARANTINE IN EUROPE. ELIAS a Partner in my Business. It Son Altesse Walts, Edgar de Volmeney. 14, Ingo, German str., from Yokohama. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. will hereafter be conducted under the style of Mia Cara Waltz, Bucalossi (Composer W. ANDICAPPED RACE for YACHTS 16, Khiva, British etr., from Kobe. ASSENGERS AND SHIPPERS by the [28] I. A. and Decked BO TS under 10 Tone, on BELILIOS & Co. 1st February, 1882. My Queen). above Company's steamers are informed 16, Kosuge Maru, Jap. str., from Kobo. E. R. BELILIOS. P. & O. Polka, -Bucalossi. SATURDAY, the 2nd February, 1884. that Quarantine enforcements have been reduced. 17. Tamaura Muru, Jap. str., from Kores. TO LET. 1st January, 1884. White Lillies Walts.—W. Fullerton. COURSE:at MARSEILLES to 24 hours (performed on THE PREMISES now compled by us No. 18. Tokio Mara, Jap. str., from Shanghal. Fontainbleau Valso,-H. R. H. The Dake of Start from Naval Coal Sheds round a mark best 18, Cholleston, British str., from Hongkong. board the steamer) and at VENICE to 3 days." 11. Queen's Road Central. Albany. off Green Island, thenes round Channel Rocks NOTICE. Quarantine will probably be removed from all For Further Particulars, apply to Messra. DEPARTURES. Fleurs d'Amour Valse, -J. L. Roockel. and finish at Mecance. - Start half past Twelve ports by the time steamers now leaving China 12, Charloy, British back, for Hongkong. RUSSELL & Co. WE hereby give notice that Mr. J. J. HOWARD is authorized to sign our Je t'Adore Waitz. -E. de Valmency. will arrive in the MEDITERRANEAN. 12. Waverley, British str., for Shanghai. GEO, B. STEVENS & Co. Sentiers Flouris Valse, -- Waldtaufel, Entries to be sent to Mr. A. C. MORE, East Passengers by the Company's ateamers have 14, Kashgar, British str., for Kobe. 1st August, 1883. name, per procuration at Amoy, the authority. Meriana Valse,-Waldtenfel. Point, not later than THURSDAY afternoon. 14. Bairal, Russian str., for Shanghai. always the option of continuing the journey on granted to Mr. N. C. STEVE VS having Coased 30th January, 1884. Eliesa Waltz,-Edgar de Valmency. TO LET. to London, on payment of the difference of fare. 15, Genkai Maru, Jap. str., for Shanghal. from the let instant. from 1st February. A. MCIVER, 15, Pechili, British str., for Shanghai. .. RUSSELL & Co. PACIOUS COAL-GODOWN on Wanshai 16, Hugo & Otto, Nor. bark, for Kobe. Saperintendent. I Will Come, -T. H. Cowen. Hongkong, 3rd Japuary, 1884. Road, at present compled by the Wandhai 16, De Bay, British str., for Hongkong. Soth January, 1884. The Southern Breeze-W. M. Hutchison. Godown Company and known as their Godówn No. 14, Capacity 7,00 tons. 16, Vladivostock, Russian str., for Shanghai. Never To Know, Theo. Marzials. NOTICE. HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO 16. Khivs, British str., for Hongkong. NOTICE N.B .- All the Newast Music received imme-STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED. 17, Ingo, German str., for Yokohams. diately after Publication. FIRE Commission appointed to enquire into FINE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY in our MEYER & Co. 18, Tokio Mara, Jap. str., for Yokohama. certain charges of corruption which have NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Firm of Mr. WILHELM REINERS. 18th January, 188/ JUST PUBLISHED. recently been publicly made against the Officers CEASED on the 31st December, 1883. of the Public Works Department has com-menced its Sittings, and all Persons who have Williams' Middle Kingdom-2 Vols., almos THE DIVIDEND at the rate of 6 % or VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS TONGKONG WEARF & GODOWNS. Mr. MAX GROTE, Mr. CABL JANTZEN, entirely re-written. \$4.50 per Share, declared at the Ordinary IN OHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA, and Mr. STEPHAN C. MICHAELSEN, who Giles' Gems of Chinese Literature. Helf-Yearly Meeting of Shareholders held this any information to give upon the subject matter (Per last Mail's Advice). Goods received of STORAGE at Moderate have been signing the firm, are admitted Part-KELLY & WAISH-HONGKONG. [25 day, will be payable at the Hongkong AND of its enquiries are invited to communicate with Glebelg (a.) Shanghai Dec. Rates, in First-class Godowns. pers from this date. SHANGHAT BANKING CORPORATION on and the Secretary. All such communications if Nestor (8.)..... Shanghai Dec. 8 Mr. J. GOOSMANN is authorized to sign our NOTICE. desired will be considered confidential. after To-Morrow, Wednesday, the 30th inst. Escurial (e.) Manila Dec. 10 Entire GODOWNS to be LET. firm per Propuration. SHAREHOLDERS are requested to apply at ARTEUR K. TRAVERS, MEYER & Co. Apply to 3rd March, 1881. MELCHERS & Co. CAMPBELL, late of Foochow, has the Office of the Company for WARRANTS.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

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By Order of the Board of Directors."

16th January, 1884.

LOUIS HAUSCHILD,

Secretary.

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Shanghai, let January, 1884. [80

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The Hongkong Postal Guide for 1884. Arrivals and Departures of "Mails at and from London and Hongkong. Scales of Commissions and C. harges adopted by the Chambers of Commer ce of Hongkong, Shanghai and elsewhere. Hongkong Chair, Jinricksha, a and Boat Hire.

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HONGKONG, JANUARY 31st, 1884.

THE Japan Mail is surprised that a newspaper which, " like the Hongkong Daily Press. manifests a general desire to be just and accurate," should consider its lack of information "no obstacle to the delivery of ez cathedra opinions on Japanese affairs." This, we presume, is intended to be crushing. The charge of ignorance, however, is one which may be bandled backwards and forwards ad infinitum without at all elucidating the subject under discussion, while the term ez cathedra is quite meaningless when applied to the opinions of a newspaper, since those opinions can have no more force than the reasons or arguments by which they are supported. Writing on the subject of the suggested abandonment of exterritoriality The LIST OF RESID! INTS now contains in Japan we recently said that "when the Japanese sujoy under their own laws the full security for life, property, and reputation which is conferred by the laws of Western nations, then foreigners may cease to claim exterritoriality." This, the Japan Mail admits, is an unimpeachable position, but asks, " who is to be the judge of Japan's con-A full Chronology of reman "kable events since dition?" According to the argument of our contemporary Japan herself is to be the observed by Chinese, Mal comedans, Parsees, judge; she says she is willing to adopt a code founded on those of Western nations, provided the Treaty Powers will consent to the abolition of exterritoriality; and if any one ventures to doubt the expediency of falling in with this arrangement, or to suggest that it would be well to wait until the code is in sign of frost. actual and complete operation as regards the Japanese themselves, he is, according to the Japan Mail, the creature of ignorance and prejudice; professions are, in short, to beconstantly required by resid ints and those taken as the equivalent of accomplished Hung-chang has sent a despatch to the Fu-t'al facts. The Jupan Gazette, in an ably written and temperate article upon this same subject, says:- "When Japan says,-Our laws are sufficient for all the demands of our own people; England replies, -Where are those laws, and above all, where is the machipery to administer them?. Our relations with you are essentially tradal, and a code of civil law with trained judges to administer it is an absolute necessity if we would avoid constant bickerings and more serious wisunderstandings. You have promulgated a code of criminal law, but it has not yet had a fair trial among your own people. Trial by don respectively, left Singapore on the 27th inst., jury is not recognized; the proceedings of your courts are not published, for the cogent reason that no journalist dare comment upon injustice or wrong-doing, a rule which ren- next performance on Saturday night, when they, ders publicity a farce. There is no check upon your administration of criminal law calculated to inspire confidence. More important still, in view of the class of British residents, is the commercial code. Where is that? One may be, indeed is said to be, in contemplation, but if it were the most per- of burning fireworks in the streets after the fect code ever drafted, and the machinery for | time allowed by law, and they were fixed 25 its administration the most competent, time must necessarily be required to prove its adaptability to the purpose. Putting aside by an unfortunate miscorrection of a proof, it was all extraneous issues, we ask you, virtually say the English Government, whether you | What we intended to have said was that. Capt can reasonably expect us to withdraw from our countrymen the protection of a seriously ill. law both you and ourselves believe to be essential to the welfare of your own people and ours, and substitute in its place the ed for the protection of Europeans in China is unwritten, and therefore unknown, law of Japan?" To return, however, to the Japan Mail and its reply to our previous articles. Referring to the Nagasaki case we said :--"Instead of the policeman, accused of causing the death of the Chinaman who was killed, being placed on his trial in ordinary course, and being held convicted or acquitted according to the result of such trial, the case was made the subject of a private investiga- and they got the flames under before they obtained tion," from which we argued that in Japan any serious hold, and before any fire alarm was "the judicial process is not independent of active interference by the executive, and that The Saigonais says :- One of our correspondconsequently the operation of the law is not tion, sends us the following news, which, on certain and impartial." This reasoning, the account of its gravity, we give under all reserve: Japan Mail says, is perfectly fair and logical -A large army is now concentrated at Baoninh. so far as it goes, but it stops short at a very 50,000 men, namely, 25,000 Chinese regulars, important point; it fails to show that there | 15,000 bandits ranged under the banner of the

.. Messrs. Helly & Walsh. B'ghai. was anything out of "the ordinary course," chief of the Black Flags, and, lastly, 10,000 Anor that the judicial power was in any way daring who are partisans of Chinese supremacy. NOETHERN & Messrs, Hall & Holts and Kelly interfered with by the executive in the case All these forces obey the chief of the Black under consideration. In support of this Flags, who has been appointed Generalissimo of BEFORE THE HON. SIE GDEGE PHILLIPPO position the Japan Mail quotes the following decree dated from Peking. Our correspondent articles from the code :-Art. 269,-All oriminal, correctional, and simple

Art. 264.—Nevertheless, if, according to the nature of the accusations, the discussion would appear to be dangerous to public order, to decemy, or to good manners, the tribunal may, either on the decision of SANFRANCISCO Mr. L. P. Fisher, 21, Merchants' direct that the discussions shall take place without ways be given in public.

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vernment," as stated by our contemporary, "it is one which would never be dreamt of any civilized country of which public trial is one of the institutions." Here, replies the Japan Mail, is the code, which in all its leading features reflects the most enlightened spirit of Western jurisprudence, which has been critically examined by several jurisconsults of European reputation, and the tervals in the columns of the Japan Mail were, without exception, highly favourable, "It did not occur to one of these specialists, who had made the science of law their lifelong study, to find fault with the discretionary power vested in the public administration by the Article we have quoted. It did NOTICE.-To avoid delay in the execution of not occur to them to find fault, for the sim-Orders it is particularly requested that all ple reason, that the same power is vested, business communications be addressed to the and must always be vested, in the public administration of European States, of whose methods, for the rest, the new criminal procedure of Japan is a counterpart." Granting this, for the sake of argument, to be theoreti-All letters for publication should be written o one cally correct, the facts of the case only show how unfit are the Japanese courts to administer such a code, having regard to its be English courts have theoretically the power, in the interests of decency, to take certain cases in private, yot even such extreme cases as charges of the commission of unnatural offences are taken in public, because it is recognised that the svils of privacy are greater than those of publicity. But in the Nagasaki case no plausible reason has ever been suggested why the bearing should not have been in public. The Japan Mail says it was made the subject of diplomatic representations by the Chinese Government, but surely this cannot be taken as placing it within the pale of the extraordinary contingencies contemplated in the articles from the code above quoted. What would have been said if the trial of O'Donners had been conducted in private because the United States of America made diplomatic representations in the case and the whole affair had excited angry feelings? A Japanese policeman was said to have killed a Chinaman. It was setup in his defence that the Chinaman was engaged in opium smoking, which is an offence against the laws of Japan, and the killing occurred in a fracas which cosued upon the Chinaman and his companions resisting lawful arrest. Surely there is nothing in these circumstances requiring secrecy in their investigation. Three Chinamen were recently killed in Hongkong by falling from a verandah while the police were attempting to arrest them for gambling, which is an offence against the laws of the solony. A charge was laid and a sergeant of police stands committed for trial on an accusation of manslaughter. What would be said if the case were heard in private? We leave the Japan Mail to answer the question.

The P. and O. steamer Gunges, with the next outward English mail, left Singapore at 5 p.m. on Sunday, the 27th inst., for this port.

The appointment of a Japanese student as assistant to the Professor of Anatomy at Berlin has been approved by the Minister of Public Worship The N. C. Daily Nows learns from a private letter, dated Tientsin, 6th Jan., that the Peiko

was still clear of ice, and there was then no By kind permission of Col. Hobson and the officers of the Buffs, the Band of the Regiment will play on the Cricket Ground this afternoon (weather permitting) from 4 p.m. We (N. C. Daily News) learn that H.E.

Sometow recommending that the tribute rice for the north this year be sent wholly by steamers, leaving out the usual junks entirely. The French corvette Duquay-Trouis, Captain Muret de Pagnac, arrived here yesterday from

Singapore, which port she left on the 28rd inst. She exchanged salutes with the shore battery, the Audacious, Stosch, and Victor Emanuel. H. L. R. M. S. Nayesdnik, Captain Kalogeras. from Batan island, 27th inst., arrived here yesterday, and saluted the port, Admirals Willes and

von der Golts, which salutes were returned from the shore battery, the Audocious, and the Stouch. We learn from Messrs. Butterfield & Swire bat the Ocean Steamship Company's steamers Menciaus and Antenor, from Liverpool and Lon-

and the Diomed, from London, yesterday aftersoon; all for this port. As will be seen, by the announcement on our front page, the Loftus Troups will give their will repeat the popular comedy "Our Boys." On

Tuesday the comic opera "The Dector of Alcantara " will be produced. As usual the present feative season among the Chinese has been attended by some infringement of the laws with regard to cracker firing. A large number of Chinese were before the Police Court yesterday morning on the usual charge

In our report of the loss of the G. C. Trufant, made to appear that the mate had been rendered seriously ill by the hardships of the voyage. that the hardships of the voyage had made him

The Globs says that the statement that Austria had already agreed to join in any measures adoptdeclared at Vienna to be premature, as nothing has yet been decided, but it is probable that the Albatross, which has received orders to cruise to wards Bombay and Coylon, will eventually be directed to display the Austrian flag in Chinese

There was a narrow escape from a fire in Lyndburst Terrace on Tuesday evening. The Chinese occupants of a house there were doing some New Year chin-chin jose pidgin, with the usual stupid disregard of all caution, and set the room on fire. Fortunately some police were near by

ents, well placed for obtaining reliable informs-It may, without exaggeration, be computed at namite regulars commanded by disaffected manthe Chinese forces in Tonquin by an Imperial complains bitterly that in the attack on Sontay LEE FOO WING AND ANOTER Y. MORRISON the Kim-toni passage and the route to Hung-hon police cases brought before the jurisdictions of judg. were left completely free, to that the coalitionists ment will be there examined, debated, and decided in were enabled to transport their stores and reform Wotton, and Descou, appears for the plaintiffs; and & Co. said he heard a noise of glass break- legitimate occupation by the turbulent Man- count, and the very fair chance of one in 170 of public court under pain of nullity of the condemna their forces to the south of Babac. He adds the Attorney-General, (Hon E. L. O'Malley.) lug on his master's premises at about 9 p.m. on daring of Annam. Their occupation was the wedding a mere baron. that it is necessary to strike terror into the instructed by Messrs. Denny and Mossop, for the 25th instant, and on looking round, he saw a transport or munitions of war to Yuunan, There is a certain Austin man who is linked hearts of these enemies, who are so difficult to the defendants. reach, and that it is greatly to be feared that if Mr. Francis, before proceeding with the case, they searched the premises. The first prisoner Vicercy of Canton, for the suppression of the putation of sadly neglecting her household duties. they are allowed to fly from Basnish in the application of the processing her convivial lord returned from the servants' room, and on an at rebellion there. the public administration, or on its own authority, direction of Kwangei the war will be protracted the Attorney General, for thi trouble and loss tempt being made to catch him, he jumped out When Lieut. Garnier was killed, the From the lodge in a condition several decrees above indefinitely. We lope that if, as we are assured, of time he had caused thempy not appearing of the window into the street, and was arrested. Minister to Hué, Mr. Philastre, then took char, a the dead level of plain sobriety. "O, you miserthis news is true, a commencement will be made that day week, for which there are employ, of proceedings. It seems plear to us that the able wretch!" she exclaimed. "I'm just burning in teaching the Chinese we are no longer their fixed. He was so unwell tit it would have gave corroborative evidence. When the prisoner persons of the French nationals having been up with rage." Yer are, are you?" replied the We had said that "so far from the course dupes. A progressive bombardment of the ports served no ports begressive bombardment of the ports begressive begressive bombardment of the ports begressive bombardment of the ports begressive bombardment of the ports begressive begressiv

which is within the discretion of overy Goprize for Monday's. Voluntuer whooting with the lou his part not to have done so. 4 pounder. Both his shots, though paither hit the fing, were exceedingly groud, and the two though six men succeeded in hitting the target once each. The limit for scoring beyond the target was forty feet, and not fourteen, as was

stated yesterday by a misprint. The Tientsin correspondent of the Shanghai the Mercury mays is as follows:-"Li Hungchang has explained why he could not take the detailed verdicts of whom, published at in- Vice-royalty of the Liang Kwang : because the others had made such a moss of the affair, he Scotland, and were formerly possessed of a piece Co., said that at 8.30 p.m. on the 24th he went China over England, France and all the other had no confidence in the officers who would have of property bereinafter described by an inden- to the office, and found the lamps extinguished. Nations, as imperative reasons for ignoring it in to act under him, that he advised them to get out of it, and divert the foreign loans they are for considerations contained in the said inden. Two desks were broken open, and a number of We refer to a 'contributed' article published raising or want to raise, via., one million, two million, and six million taels, to paying the French indemnity. Prince Kung is said to support him."

The Rangoon Gasette is responsible for the following :- "Wonderful doings are going on the palace. Theebaw has apparently fallen with a copy of the 'Sanitary Primer,' probably forwarded to his Majesty by the Educations Syndicate, and he has been so struck with it contents that the palace presents the same an cearance as a British matron's residence cleaning day. Dens that have not been dis turbed by a broom for years -- perhaps a generation-are being turned inside out; in fact, the Health Officer is abroad in the Nandaw."

be Lieutenant, vice G. F. Clayton-East, resigned; Guild. He claimed the property as theirs, and Lieute George Edward Wilkinson from the 4th denied that the plaintiffs, had any right or title

the week ending 27th January, 1884;—

The last number of the Ninetsenth Centur contains a translation of the Diary of the Mar quis Tsang by Mr. Jordan of Canton. It com mences on his appointment as Ambassador, and extract the following remark on the Kansuh and other loans raised by the Chinese Govern ment, leaving out what he says about the mis appropriation by the Khedive of the loans he obtained in London and Paris .- " I see from the newspaper that Tso Tenng-t'ang has borrowed 8,500,000 taels, to be applied towards defraying the expenses of the campaign in the north-west I have no means of knowing whether the report is true or not, but two considerations arise consection with this subject which give pause for deep regret." In the first place, such an excessive rate of interest as 8 per cent, is without precedent in Europe, and its effect can only be to san the sources of China's strongth for the enrichment of foreign countries. Again, the frequency with which China has fraudulently repudiated the loans contracted from her own people makes them dread the very thought lending to the Government, and her only resource when an emergency arises; is to apply to the foreign merchants. Now, it is not likely that the foreigner is going to bring his money all the way soross the sea to supply the wants of China. No, a loan is issued and the money is collected from the Chinese people, but both the people and the Government suffer severely from such a vast smount of their own capital passing through foreign hands, as a large share of the interest is appropriated by the foreign agent A fine scheme this indeed! China has ample means and abundant resources, and though these petty loans are not likely to cause her much embarrassment, still, for the material advancement of a country, there are other things more urgently needed than gunboats and armaments of war. It is a poor policy that leaves unders what ought to be done at once, and presses forward

LATEST TELEGRAMS

what might well be deferred."

LONDON, 29th January. GENERAL GORDON'S MISSION: Gordon has started for the Soudan. He takes £40,000 with blm.

THE TRANSVAAL QUESTION. mitted by Mr. Kruger (the Boer representative) for a new Transvaal frontier.

THE RISING IN THE SOUDAN. Latest services from the Sondan appounce that the expedition sent by the Egyptian Government river Nile placed there by the Mahdi has returned to Khartoum, having been unsuccessful in the attempt.

LOSS OF THE STEAMER "OHIN-KIANG.

We regret to have to record the addition of another steamer to the list of vessels lost during the present sesson—a list already far too heavy. The Chinkiang of Messrs, Siemssen & Co.'s Shanghai, Canton, and Hongkong line, was a boat theroughly well known, having been plying here for many years past, and from a telegram received by the agents to-day it is likely we have seen the last of her. The telegram was to the effect that the compradors and five seamen had arrived at Amoy, and had reported the loss of the steamer near that place. The Chinking was a vessel of 784 tons, and was until quite recently unler the command of Capt. Orr, the commodore of the fleet, but Capt. Orr went home a few weeks since, and he was Connor was nawell before leaving Manile, and | then succeeded by Capt. Hermann, who left here for Shanghai in command other on the 25th inst.

THE HONGKONG ICE COMPANY LIMITE).

The following is the repot of the directors for presentation to the shareblders at the annual meeting to be held on the 6th proxime The General Managers have deasure in submittle to the shareholders a statement of nocounts for The net balance of profit andless account, includ

ing \$687.06 brought forward from last year, after providing for the neual charges, abounts to \$23,543.8 which the General Managers recommend to be dis posed of as follows, viz. A dividend of \$10 per share Cost of new cylinder and repairso buildings 1,600.00 in money. Carried forward to next year

A reduction in the price of id from 2 cents to 11 cent per lb. was made from 1stDetober last, which, however, has not yet led to an intersee in consumption. Mr. Thos. Arnold has anditedthe accounts and he is recommended for re-election. JARDINE, MATHESON & Ci. General Managers. Hongkong, 29th January, 188,

SUPREME COURT. 30th Januay.

IN ORIGINAL JUBIDICTION. CHIEF JUSTOS.

AND ANOTHER.

Sorgeant Denson is the winner of the first give notice to the parties; it was very encoless tempered with, but the only thing missing was Chinese Government. It is true the Chinese His Lordship said he felt satisfied that there Li Ahong, watchman employed by the Union In- | concerned were raised. That is the usual remust have been some good reason for the learned surance Co., sold that at 8 pm. on the same day he componed of foreigners who trust the Chinese made more points than any other man's efforts, gentleman's non-appearance, but Mr. Francis was in the office in Pedder's attest, when he heard Government. But it could have heard non-appearance, but Mr. Francis

ought to have given notice. this colony, but the real plaintiff in the case the one in collet. was Lee Foo Wing. The defendants resided in Mr. H. Otte, manager to Mesers. Pusten & related; besides the impudent assumptions of ture dated 29th July, 1881. The defendants, which had been burning half an hour before, practical politics. So of course has England. ture, assigned to Yu Chow, his executors, revolvers were missing from the sample room. in the Daily Press of the 10th instant, and their administrators, and assigns, a piece or parcel From the desks there were missing a silver editorial on it. The Hongkong papers are mis-Subsection B, at the corner of Jervois street gold chain, a pair of gold eye-glasses, a few gold terances of the Deputy for Saigon. and Queen's road. By the said indenture of chirt buttons, and a gold medallion. The eye. In every great enterprize, there are sure to be July, 1981, the defendants for themselves, their glasses in court he identified as those stolen. harples, and such are found following up the July, 1981, the defendants for themselves, their glasses in court he identified as those stolen. heirs, administrators, and assigns, covenanted Mr. J. N. Goosmann, assistant to Messrs. French colonial enterprize of Tononin. They that notwithstanding any act of John Graham Melohers & Co., said that on the 1st inst. he was have been having an innings on the Paris Bourse ly after the sale, Lee Foo Wing, for the purpose value of \$150. of improving and increasing the property, on-

through their neglect that the title to these sjected from the quiet enjoyment thereof. The for unlawful possession of it. plaintiffs therefore prayed the court to award P. C. Fowler gave evidence to arresting the them \$13,000 damages for the loss and injury first prisoner after his drop into Pedder's-street. enstained, and for such other relief as the nature of the case might seem to require. Mr. Francis proceeded to say that the defendants' answer was very short and simple. It was to the effect that they did not admit the several allegations contained in the plaintiffs' petition, and denied their right to recover damages. The defendants yaid into court the sum of \$2,500, and submitted that was enough to pay the plaintiffs' claim, 1881, and the defendants covenanted that they dernoath the house. who paid for it and took his deed of assignment expected from Amoy,

in 1854 or 1855, Lo On entered into possession pondent. of this particular piece of ground on which the Piece Goods Merchants' Guild had erected their fire engine house. They remained in possession of it, not acknowledging the title of anyone, or pay-Merrison and J. Morrison sold this piece of is our contributor of the 10th January:-

till to-day.

POLICE COURT January 30th BEFORE MR. A. G. WISE.

THROWING CRACKERS AT CONSTABLES. J. H. Scherre, master of the German schooner Montearia, appeared to a summons charging Davidson, on the 28th inst.

others were burning crackers in Queen's-road. and the former threw a packet at them, upon for reasons which we will explain. We have which they arrested him. The defendant said he did not mean to throw the orackers at the constable.

Fined half a dollar. AN OVERCROWDED LAUNCH.

habit of overcrowding his launch. The defendant was fined \$25, which he paid.

Wong Tan, hawker, was convicted of entering the house of a shopkeeper named Chan Sam Li at Shankiwan, hear midnight on the 29th their claim to exclude a civilized Power from European countries." Our Shanghai content. . \$12,500.00 | inst., and stealing therefrom a chopper and \$31 | their immediate neighbourhood, which should be | porcey cannot, apparently, offer us any more

man on gettting out of bed.

THE RODDERY PROM MESSRS, PUSTAU

& CO.'S OFFICE. &c.

Mesers. Thomas Howard & Co. with folonious proceedings. containing \$150, on the 1st instant.

window broken. He called the compradors, and through the Songkol, under orders from the for life to a lady who enjoys the unenvied re-

some glass broken. He got a light, and found part of a Fronch official's duty to facilitate the Mr. Francis proceeded to open his case. He the window open, with a pave of glass broken. said this was an action for damages for breach Mr. C. U. Stuart, clerk to the Union Insurof express covenant and title, and sise for a same Co., said that on the following morning he It was necessary that order in the country should breach of implied covenant. He proceeded to found a pane had been taken out of the glass be restored, and Mr. Philastre made the Treaty read the petition in the case, which was to the locar of the office, leading from the verandab. with Annam in 1874. Mercury has written a lotter, the gist of which following effect. The plaintiffs were Lee Foo His desk had been rummaged, and he missed a The Chinese claim to suggrainty over Annam Wing and Yn Chow, Chinese traders, residing in counterfeit dellar from it. Which he identified as rests, as we have explained, on astrological

ground registered as Inland Lot 202, napkin ring, an old silver watch (damaged), a taken in attaching undue importance to the ut

The following appears in the Official Gazette tered into contracts for the pulling down of the said that on the 8th July last he was at dinner races. In classical poetry they were winged

& Co. at that time. Battalion the Devoushire Regiment, to be Lient, thereto. By a decree of the court dated the 4th Otte's eye-glasses on the prisoner when brought days they precede the storm, so as to be early vice U. C. A. Sillery, transferred to the Suffolk August 1882, in a suit brought by Lo On against to the Station, and also Mr. Stuart's bad dollar, in the way of picking up the good things; Lee Foo Wing and the second plaintiff, and it was The appearances at Messas. Howard's and the in the evolution of progress, they have lost decreed that the rights of the plaintiffs were Union Insurance Officer were as described, and the face of old women, and look like pro-Return of visitors to the City Hall Museum for | barred by the Statute of Limitations, and a per- there were marks of handsand feet on the verandah | moters; but they have claws and they plunpetual injunction was granted spainst the re- partition between the two offices, as if someone der the pockets of eager gamblers on the EUROPEAN. CHINESE. movel by the plaintiffs of the premises in question, climbed round it. From subsequent inquiries Bourse. They have emitted a scent so foul he went to a house to Kan Fong Liane, where into possession of this place in 1858, and remain. he found the other seven defendants gambling, ed in possession of the same for over 20 years | bey pointed out a box as belonging to the first | The motives of Lient. Garnier therefore are without paying rent, or in any way acknowledg. prisoner, and in it were found the purse identified fully explained by his only duty of protecting ing the title of the said John Graham Morrison, by Mr. Goosmann of Messrs. Melchers & Co. French nationals. The frequent changes of or the defendants in this case, and it was There were also some pawn tickets, one of which Ministry since 1875 prevented the Ministers at related to the watch produced, identified by Mr. premises was lost. The plaintiffs were as Fock. A cash box similar to that missed from laffairs in Cochin China. At length they have signed this property by the indenture, which Messis, Melchers' office was found in the same | done so, and the Dupuis-Millot affair is morely should entitle them to the quiet enjoyment of room. The seven men said they did not know a graphic episode in the history of the Colony the whole of it; but nevertheless, they had been to whom it belonged, and witness arrested them

The case was remanded for a week.

FORMOSA.

TAKOW. 14th January.

had a good right to assign the property on. The ships are be inning to arrive. The Guid- country's interests, will not have much difficulty tirely to him. Before the end of October, ing Star, Pelham, Velocity and Minerva have in believing that the latter scheme presented no less than three months afterwards. Yu Chow loaded and left for Japan. In port are the Glen- more deterrent features to his moral vision than sold the property at a very considerable advance way for Japan and the Solidor with coals from the former. Indeed, he is accredited with having of price to the present owner, Lee Foo Wing. Keelung. The Orient for Japan is momentarily employed his belligerent elequence so assidnously

THE FRENCH IN COORIN-CHINA

On the 10th January we published a coning rent, for more than 20 years. The 20 years tributed article under the above heading and gleoted the former step, or ask our readers to Latest advices from Caire state that General expired in 1874 or 1875, and the plaintiffs' con- commented upon it in a leader. In the Shanghai believe that his contrivances counted for nothing testion was that in 1831, six years afterwards. Mercury of the 24th just appears the following in the rumours which reached us, from time to when the representatives of Patrick Graham article, on the same subject, the writer of which ground, they had in fact no title to that portion | The colony of Saigon sends a Deputy to the France and the Middle Kingdom, From the Lord Derby, Secretary of State for the on which the engine house stood. It had then French Chamber to represent Colonial interests | moment that France's restless craving after a Colonies, has rejected a counter proposal sub. been out of their possession 25 or 26 years, and there. The costituency is that of Frenchmen colonial empire impelled her towards the delta their title to recover it was therefore barred be- and all male French subjects. There are about of the Red River and Yunnan, the most sanfore that time by the Statute of Limitations. 500 electors, composed much as follows: about | guine observer did not fail to foresee that which-Therefore there was at the time of the execution 100 grocers (epiciess) and contractors for goverh. ever way her enterprises eventuated, some unof this deed. July 29th, 1881; a breach of their ment stores; about 150 * * * * natives of pleasant contingencies were inevitable. But governant title. The plaintiffs' contention was Pondicherry, mostly cabdrivers, whose votes can lamong these we never reckoned a sensible that there was an implied covenant for a quiet be purchased for 10 cents; the rest are officials | despening of China's feeling of umbrage against enjoyment from the nature of the covenant itself, of the administration. Their representative is Japan. It would almost seem as though the and that quiet enjoyment had been broken that Mr. Blancaubé, and his duties as representative fates had willed that, despite this country's to remove the obstruction to the passage of the Lee Foo Wing himself was a direct and imme- of his constituents, are to further the interests really earnest desire to be on torms of the closest diste party concerned in the perpetual injunc. of officials in looking for comfortable friendship with her neighbour, something should tion in the suit in the Court of Equity granted berths; the grocers have to vote for perpetually crop up to widen the breach between against him to prevent him entering into pos- him of course, or they would not get Go. | them. M. Tricou is not a Colossus, either session, or that there was a sufficient disturbance | vernment contracts. Mr. Blancaubé was once a | morally or physically, but his powers of doing of their quiet enjoyment of the possession of the lawyer in Shanghai, where there is not litigation | mischief were anymented by his position, and property to enable them to bring the present enough in French Courts to make it a profitable he used them with remarkable enough. We may occupation for a lawyer. Besides there must be be wrong, but we cannot help thinking that the Evidence was called in support of this state- two lawyers in a place, in order to make a brisk | mail-clad Japanese troops placed by the Chinese ment, and the hearing of the case was adjourned | business for the learned wentlemen of the long robe. No English lawyers found it worth while to study French law, so the material for working Tricon's imagination. They are, at any rate. up a lawsuit did not exist, especially since much the outcome of the policy he pursued here. The of French merchants' litigation must have been North China Herald, speaking of these mythical of an international character. But Mr. Blancsubé | warriors, says :- "Our readers are of course no doubt made some friends in Shanghai, and the influence of some of them, and of adventurers | vernment made offers of alliance to Japan, which generally in the Far East, may be traced in the Bourse speculations in hypothetical mines in Tonquin, which are regarded by the English anti-French press as the cause of the expedition him with having assaulted P.C.s Beaton and to "orquin, and were so stated by Li Hung-chang. We have been quite aware of these speculations The police said the defendant and several in the Paris Bourse. We have never noticed them, since they were not of local interest, and

had several attempts made to bring to our notice the celebrated Dupuis-Millot expedition. have read more than once his very interesting parrative, and we have alluded to it as throwing much light upon the centemptible fighting power Pang Ling, master of the Wing Shing steam- of the Aunamese, and of the eagerness which launch, was summoned by P. S. Campbell on a the Chinese mandarine displayed, to let foreigncharge of carrying 24 passengers in excess of the lers open up the Red River when it suited them. number authorised by hislicense, on the 28th inst. Also of the determined resistance made by the Mr. Dennys appeared for the defendant and Annamese Government to the passage of muniadmitted the charge, stating there were special tions of war from one part of China to another circumstances in the case and asking for a le- on their way to be used to suppress the Yunnan rebellion. It is a valuable history now, since it P. S. Campbell said the defendant was in the forcibly demonstrates the purely astrological rounds which we have several times explained. and which have been copiously explained by others, apply about as much to France as to Annam. But having bought an ironolad since rigmarole; credo quia impossible is a motto acted 1874, the Chinese have been encouraged to assert occupied by turbulent states overion by brigands, comforting assurance than that intelligent Chi-The complainant came in contact with the They get the sympathy of a great number of ness do not give "full credence" to these foreigners in their claim for their holy territory, ridiculous rumours. M. Tricou may, there-The defendant had been convicted of incomy The Quarterly Review, in a very able and in fore, congratulate himself on having obtained from the person before, and he was sent to gaol teresting article in the October number, shows a certain measure of success. He has helped rather a prejudice against French operations in to sow seeds of discord between China and Young Afak, hawker, for steeling about 60 Tonquin. It seems rather to look upon the Japan and we wish him joy of the achievement, cents worth of pig's bristles from the Slaughter late Lieut. Garnier's proceedings in 1874 as He will long be remembered in the East as a House, was sent to prison for a week's hard the fons et origo mali. Lieut. Garnier lost his diplomat who accomplished a vast deal of harm life during the action he took in connection with by the sheer force of shallow intrigue and unthe Dapuis-Millot expedition, and there was limited bloster. - Japan Mail. consequently no recorded explanation of his Un Awong was brought up, on remand, on the motives. We venture to supply an explanation charge of breaking and entering the office of which occurs to us as quite accounting for his that notes given for cotton future transactions intent, and with possession of a pair of eye. When the Orleanists had full control over the futures is gambling.

glasses stolen from the office of Mesers. Pastau Republican Government of France, they be-& Co. on the 24th instant; Seven other Chinese | gan to look after her colonial interests. They list of the marriages during the last 20 years of were brought up charged with being concerned are proud of the Colony of Algeria, and they de-with the same man in entering the premises of termined to develope that in Cochin China the conclusion which he draws from his statistics Messrs. Mclobers & Co., and staling a cash box | Lieut. Garnier went, under instructions from is that an actress has one chance in 846 of mar-Saigon, to protect the interests of French na- rying a prince of royal blood, in 512 of marrying

Government did not pay for it, and most of those. warlike preparations of China by force of arms. Amnum had resisted the Chinese in making them.

grounds; so France has the becurrences we have

Morrison, or any of their predecessors, they as called from bed by the office boy, and on going to in mining shares. The most has been made of signed to the plaintiff Yu Chow the full title to the office he found three deske had been broken that by auti-French journalists. But it is quite the land, and the indenture was duly registered. open, and a cash box and pair of eye-glasses were certain that merchants in Hongkong would benefit On the 28th October, 1-81, Yu Chow assigned to missing from his desk, while some dollars were largely by the French enterprize in the South the plaintiff Lice Foo Wing the said premises by missing from the other desks. The cash box East of this continent. It is without our bounds an indictment which was duly registered. Short. contained a watch, jewellery, and money to the to discuss the benefits that may accome to France. The harpies were the feal winds that follow Mr. E. Fock, assistant to Mesers. Wieler & Co., the storm in the postical imagery of the early of the 18th December:—The Buffs (East Kent existing tenements, but an action was then when the office boy called him to the office, where monsters, who were represented as having the Regiment).—Lieut. Col. and Col. Henry Parnell, taken by Lo On. a person in possession he found four desks broken open. Property of face of a woman, and the body of a vulture, with spirit rather than its letter. Granting that C.B., having completed five years' service as a re- of a portion of the property, who refused his including six silver watches to the value of their feet and fingers armed with claws. Poets gimental Lieut. Colonel, has been placed on half. to give up possession, on behalf of \$60 or \$70 was missing. The watch in court he gave them various names. They were sont by pay. The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.—Lieut. himself and a number of other persons identified as one of the missing ones. The first June to plunder the tables of Phineus. They Whitle, from the 5th Dragoon Guards, to styling themselves the Piece Goods Merchants' defendant was in the employ of Messes. Wieler emitted an intentious smell, and spoiled whatever they touched with the filth. They plandered . Inspector Quincey gava evidence to finding Mr. | Alceas during his voyage to Italy. In these they hear of the French expedition to Tonquin. the Quai d'Orsav picking up the threads of

M. TRICOU. THE TEMPTER OF JAPAN. When M. Tricon commenced his career of muddle, menace, and mystery in China, we alluded, necessarily in guarded terms, to a somewhat shady diplomatic manouvre, which, accord-The death of Mrs. Warren, the wife of Mr. P. ing to current report, he had given himself much L. Warren, H B.M. Acting Consul, Taiwan, after | ansuccessful trouble to accomplish during his an illness of little more than a week, has cast a residence in Tokio. This was nothing more nor gloom over this place from which we shall not less than an attempt to persuade Japan that the As his Lordship would see, this piece of property soon recover. It is difficult for those who have Touquin imbroglio offered a unique opportunity in question was Inland lot. 202, section B, not lived amongst a very small community such for hor to wips off old scores with China, and to which was held on two Crown leases, one for 75 as ours to realize what a loss like this is, and dispose finally of that possible hone of future years, and the other for 924 years, or in all for more especially when the heavy band of death contention, the Linchin question. There is 999 years. In 1850 John Graham Morrison, the falls upon one who has been the graceful leader | more than one method of winning a country over prodecessor of the present defendants, purchased in all our social antherings, who has exerted a to an alliance such as that contemplated by this section B of Inland lot. 202, and the property naturally most amiable disposition on every oc- mancouvre. There is the straightforward plan. afterwards passed to the present defendants - J. casion for the happiness of those around her, and of laying the present defendants - J. casion for the happiness of those around her, and of laying the present defendants - J. Merrison and Patrick Graham Merrison, and re- who has endeared herself to all with whom she fore the Government, and plainly asknowledging mained in their possession till 1881. In 1880 came in contact. The grief we all feel is, if pos- a desire to obtain its co-operation; and there is section B, which was a very large piece of sible, still further increased by the almost certain | the more devicus and less dignified advice of ground, was divided into number of subsections knowledge that the fatal illness was due to a pre- endeavouring to excite a warlike spirit in one and sold. Yu Chow purchased subsections one ventible cause. Too late, a covered drain was quarter and another, with the object of carrying and two, but it was only with one of these that discovered to be in the foulast possible condition, the decision ultimately beyond official control this action had to do. As he had said, the pro- and so placed that the pent-up noxious gases Those who have watched M. Tricou's career in perty was sold to -Yu Chow on the 21st July, were, in certain states of the wind, conveyed un- the East, and who have observed to what loughth he suffers himself to be carried by zeal for his in sundry quarters, and so persistently laboured When he proceeded to remove this tenement The sugar crop is unusually large this year to depict China's action in the matter of Liuchin however, he was met by the claim from Lo On and we hear the quality both here and at Tai. as an insult which Japan's national honour was and the Piece Goods Merchants' Guild. The wan Fu is excellent. Prices are still kept up by concerned in wiping out, that the good offices of case was brought before his Lordship, and the the natives specially interested in their advance, one of his colleagues, had finally to be solicited facts to be put in evidence again now were that but in spite of these artificial endeavours, the to persuade him to desist. As might have been during the time and subsequent to the cocups. law of supply and demand will probably have its expected, however, the mischief did not stop tion of the property by John Graham Morrison effect before long .- N. C. Daily News Corres. | there. It was nearly as important to augment China's embarrassment by convincing her that in the day of battle, she would have to reckou Japan among her active enemies, as to educate a ighting mood in Japan. We caunct, in justice to M. Tricon's abilities, suppose that he netime, of China's apprehensions as to Japan's possible attitude in the event of war between

vernacular press in the van of the French forces at the assault of Sontay, were creations of M aware that some months ago the French Gowere promptly declined by the advisers of the Mikado. Chinese suspicion, however, has not been allayed, and now we hear of secret despatches and whatnot, having passed between certain officials unnamed, the gist of which is that, on the requisition of M. Tricon, acting under the orders of his Government, the Japanese Government has actually furnished France with two thousand brazen armoured troops to assist the French in fighting China in Annam. Details. are not wanting of this singular transaction. A thousand and some odd hundreds of these mailclad warriors have already arrived at Hanoi, and been used by the French General as the advanceguard against the Black Flags. But they gained little by their disloyalty to China, for the Black Flags, by the exercise of their well-known strategy, surrounded the Japanese mercenaries and almost annihilated them. Some escaped; but these were promptly pursued, surrounded, and captured. It is only due to the more intelligent of our Chinese friends to say that they do not give full predence to these wild reports, explaining them as having arisen from the facts of there being a few Japanese officers in the French army. But multitudes do actually believe the entire upon in China quite us muon as in some of our The Supreme Court of Goorgia has decided are invalid, on the ground that dealing in

An ingenious German statistician has made a

VESSELS -ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

CAPTAIN.

Sergeant E. Andrews, 2nd Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, "the best shot of the army," has, by order of H.R.H. the Field. the prize of £20 and the silver medal.

"diamondiferous," and a prospecting expedition merchandise, has started thither. "Father, what would you run for if the house were all ablaze?" The old gentleman declared that he should run for a very valuable manuscript. "I wouldn't," replied the boy; "I should run for the door.

The craze on electrical study is beginning to bear fruit-"Are you the conductor?" asked a lad of an omnibus guard .- "I am," replied the courtecus official. "What is your name?"— On Paris.—
My name is Wood."—"Oh, that can't be," said Bank Bill
the boy, "for wood is a non-conductor." Credits, a It was a coloured preacher who said to his flock. "We has a collection to make dis mornin". an', fo' do sake of yo' reputation, whichever of ye' stole Mr. Jones's turkeys don't put anything

ou de plate." One who was there says, " Every blessed niggah in de church came down wid de Tooks." Two little Italian bootblacks, condemned lately by an austere New York police magistrate to be washed, oried most pitcously. The nuknown is notoriously wonderful, and the wonderful is often terrible; and baths are quite unknown to the Italians of New York, who hord

together in fonler quarters than those even of

Turin and Noples. "Donnis," asked the Colonel, "when can I see you?" "You can see me now, yer honour." "I want to talk business to you. When will share.

you be at home?" "When I get there, sor." On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tis. 148 "I want to see if we cannot make arrangements sor, Oi won't be there till some time afterwards." A memorial tablet has just been erected in the Free Christian Church, Shrewsbury, by the which is the following inscription :- "To the memory of Charles Robert Darwin, author of Hongkong and Whampoa Dook Company's DUCED to 3 res CENT, NETT PER ANNUM February 12th, 1809. In early life a member of and constant worshipper in this church. Died April 19th, 1881."

Under the anspices of the British Association, to Mount Kilima-Niaro, the snow-clad peak of nuder the charge of Mr. H. H. Johnstone, who accompanied Lord Mayo in his journey to Oram-An eccentric laird once had business to trans-

not with the Duke of H., who politely asked him to lunch. A liveried servant waited upon them. and was most assiduous in his ettentions to the duke and his guest. At last the laird lost patience, and, looking at the ser-vant, addressed him thus-" What for are ye dance, dancing about the room that gait? Can ye no draw in your chair and sit doon? I'm sure there's plenty on the table for three!" A novelty in the way of dances was given by Chinese Imperial Loan of 1878-Nominal. Mrs. Noble recently at Henley. Invitations were issued to a bud ball, at which young ladies from 12 to 18 were expected to wear white tulle dresses govered with resebuds. Ladies over that age were to appear in coloured or black fulle, ornamented with briar roses, while the dresses of the chaperones were to be adorned with fullblown roses. The result was a great success, and the rooms presented a very charming appearance, as they were profusely decorated with fresh

roses from Nice. The Almanach de Gotha, an eminent authority, publishes among the many titles of the Prince of Wales that of Royal Prussian Field-Marshal-General, It is to be hoped that the Parisians will not take offence at this circumstance, and treat the Prince in the same way as they treated the King of Spain, when next he makes his appearance in their capital, especially as his Royal Highness is only Honorary Colonel of a Prusthings even would be to make him Honorary Colonel of a regiment of Zonaves.

According to Martineau and Smith's Hard-

ware Trade Journal, an intelligent lad of seven-

teen, with a decided mechanical turn of mind, has been teaching his elders. This youth, a son of Mr. E. Storey, ironmonger, of Oundle, has for twelve months post lit up his father's shop and premises, economically and well, with the electric light; and gas, we understand, has not been in use there since. To the credit of young Storoy it must be added that he also made the engine which drives the electric lighting machine. There should be good news for sufferers from neuralgia, if the experiment of an American physician can be repeated with success in this country, for he has found that the application of a vibrating tuning-fork, passed along the course of the nerve, relieves the prtient completely in about half an hour. Sufferers will have to learn how to trace the nerves, and electricians will supply them with the means of keeping the fork in vibration; for in the absence of any special mention as to

the pitch of the fork, it appears that the relief . is obtained simply by the effect of the vibration. Hans Growyost, a worthy farmer, who has been a lifelong resident of Berks, has a shrewd wife, who has long rendered his life anything but a couch of roses. One day, not long ago, she, in a fit of pique, picked up her goods and left him, vowing never to come back. The news went around among the neighbours, and at night several of them, of whom I was one, went to condone with Hans. He sat on his front post puffing away at his pipe.—" Hans," I remarked, " I pity you."—"My boy," replied the honest Dutchman, STATE as he disturbedly knocked out the ushes of his pipe," you was right. She has shust come back." The most interesting point about a ponecentantian like Sir Moses Montefore is the link Hongko Amoy.

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The most interesting point about a ponecentarian like Sir Moses Montefore is the link Amoy. he supplies with the past. For instance, the last letters of Sarab, Duchess of Mariborough, published at the instance of Lord Beauchamp, their possessor, a few years ago, are addressed to a Mr. Jennings, presumably her kinsman, whose only child, a sen, who died in 1798, aged 98, was the millionaire, to whose money such preposterous claims have been made. This son was godson and page to Queen Anne. Yet Bir Moses might as a boy of twelve have talked

The imitation precious stones for which Paris is fandus are likely to come into more extended use by the sid of a recent device of M. Gaston Trouve, the celebrated electrician. He makes up ornaments of the imitation rubies, sapphires, &c., and illuminates them from the back by mean of small electric lamps, the batteries for which can be carried in a small pocket, and the current The imitation stones, which are technically known as doublets, are made of "strass" coloured to represent the natural stones, and are faced with a thin slip of hard crystal glass, but, the light being applied at the back, the general of feet is very good.

Charles I.

The Duke of Calvino, when captured by brigands in the neighbourhood of Trapani, was, as his relatives confess, "obese, advanced in years, and afflicted with a nervous malady." The beneficent brigands, however, by compelling him to weils ride all night, and to live for thirty days on a Henricon heap of straw in a dark underground hole, have Anny.
"completely cured him." If any other duke, Foother marquis, or earl—lower than that, perhaps, the Negucki. treatment would not be so effective happens also to be " obese, advanced in years, and afflicted with a nervous malady," he might do worse than to ride round his park for a night, and retire to the coal-cellar for a month. To be oured of old age is worth some sacrifice .- Globe.

The New York telegrams a week or two ago gave a summary of Henry Ward Beecher's deliverance on theatres after he had seen Mr. Irving. It appears from the New York papers that the statement was made at the Plymouth Church Barometer week-night meetings, at which Mr. Beecher often Temperature replies to questions put to him by any person in Hamidity the andience. A white-haired old gentleman at Direction of wind ... one of these meetings wanted to know why Mr. Beecher, who had sometimes spoken against the drama, had recently gone to ace "Pinatore" and other plays whether his objections had been removed, and if so from what cause? The Brooklyn pastor, seated comfortably in his chair, explained that he had been brought up to regard the theatre as a bad institution, and to consider that going to such a place "was almost as had as going to the devil." For many years his time was too fully occupied to pay much attention to the subject, but at last he went to see Salvini in "Othello," and was glad that he went. The question as to what he would advise was adroitly tenced. "I advise every young man to follow in my footsteps," said the wary old divine, " and, when you are seventy years old, go and see the best actors you can find."

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

WEDNESDAY, 30th January. EXPORT CARGOES. Per German bark Wilhelm, sailed on the 26th Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, been awarded January :- For New York-1,631 rolls matting, 2,088 pkgs. fire orankers, 1,333 pkgs. cannon It is reported that three small diamonds have orackers, 983 boxes cassis bads, 415 pkgs. prebeen found at a place in the Transkei. The serves, 294 boxes cassie, 150 pkgs. joss sticks, ground in the neighbourhood is supposed to be 45 casks soy, 35 boxes star suisced, and 63 pkgs.

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by which you can pay me." "In that evint, Canton Insurance Office, Limited-\$107 per per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$375 per share. pastor and members of the congregation, upon China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$74 per share.

Shares-54 per cent. premium. FROM THIS DATE. Hougkong, Canton, and Macao Steamhoat Co.'s Shares -\$17 premium. Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-25 per cent. discount an expedition is now being organised to proceed China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited,

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THE VIOLIN.

Oh, fair to see! Fashioned in witchery! With purfled ourves outlining Thine airy form, soft shining, In mould like ripening maiden, Budding and beauty-laden; Thou'rt naught but wood and string, Crowned with a carved shroll,

Yet when we hear thee sing We deem thou hast a soul. In some old tree Was born thy melody-Its boughs with breezes playing, Its trunk to tempests swaying, Carol of wild birds singing. The woodman's axe loud ringing;

Light arch of forest limb Curving thine every line, Tones of the forest hymn Grown ripe in thee like wine. Lightly the bow, As if with life aglow.

Thy mystic grabe revealing,

Shall set the witches dancing; With classic notes entrancing, Touch deepest chords of feeling. Thy secret caves resound As where enchanting elves, Flinging the cohoes round, Blitholy disport themselves. How wild thy glood How sweet thy harmony !

Murmur of light heart dreaming; Voice of the valkyr screaming, Bong of the caseade's deshings, Danco of auroral flashings! O waird and wondrous thing ! Whate'er thy mood of art, To wail or laugh or sing,

Thou'rt monerch of the heart. A. J. SAGE, in the Continent, "A DISCOURSE OF THE NATIONAL

EXCELLENCIES OF ENGLAND." kins to a little octavo volume written by him fain to apologize. "The cattle, too, have during the Protectorate of Oliver, and their poculiar commendation, and more "printed by Tho. Newcomb for Henry especially the sheep, the wealth of our nation, Buildings, near the West-End of St. Paul's, highest degree, and give not over Fletcher at the Three Gilt-Cups in the New | and noblest of nations. Blessed with such a to their deaths than in England." faith, Hawkins not unnaturally wished to In private relations the Englishman carproclaim it to the world. His conscience ries himself nobly. "The wife bath large would give him no rest till at least, as he privileges and honours, and she again on modestly expresses it, he had attempted the other side requites her husband with the something that might be serviceable to his truest love; so that a divorce is rarely heard country. And that it would be good work to of here." That the Englishman is of put the English in better conceit with them- "fair and cardid, intentions" appears selves, he judges from the fact that " praises from many circumstances : for instance, have always been esteemed the most success. that of "the promiscuous sitting of men ful methods on good natures to render them and women together" in church, whereat a virtuous," and so "national eulogies . . . certain Spanish Ambassador did greatly added to that natural love that is in all men to marvel. To give another example. After their country; cannot but put them (if their Edward IV. had invaded France and been souls be not as narrow and straitened as bought off by Louis XI., to the intense distheir skins) on a profitable emulation who gust of the former's troops, the French King shall become best and most deserving of ventured to trust 9,000 of these discontented such praises," etc.

imperfect and momentary enjoyment, and (as-

the truest exercise." The story of Cressy, of Agincourt, of the defeat of the Armada, he tells with the vivacity of a schoolboy who has just road of (if I do not mistake) they have thereby let those victories for the first time; but he also go not a few advantages." That this temper gives some instances of English valour which is not wholly out of date the present generastriking—e.g., how on a memorable day in James's Gazette. August, 1578; Sir John Norris's men, "more secsible of the heat of the sun than of any cold fear of death, cast away their armour and garments and fought in their shirts."

Hawkinsis not content to be the panegyrist of bygone times; he knows that he lives in DIGESTIBILITY OF RAW AND COOK. an heroic age, and even from the Civil War

daunted the enemy.

the hands of Oremwell, and ventures on a quasi-prophecy destined to brilliant fulfilmont. "If the Indies be an accessory to the Empire of the Sea, I know nothing but that England may be in an fair a way to be

master of them as any other whatsoever." Some of the reasons which Hawkins gives Hous for his admiration of England and things Water English are interesting, as showing traits of Swat the national character which have helped not toms, a little to make a nation great. He is no For Particulars, apply to Messrs. Siemssen to think it can maintain not only "a comlant gentry of fair revenues." Nor does he Messrs. Dincks & Co. forget the yeomanry, "a more ingenious sort of husbandmen, a rank of men hardly known abroad." His testimony on the condition-of-England question of his day ploughboy and swineherd are warm-clad and well-fed. The day labourer lives merrily, and out of his gains maintains his family in an indifferent plentiful manner. The artificer hath all necessaries about him, and enjoys himself with comfort." As to enjoyment it may be that the Puritan rule was not so austere as the Royalists represented it, "It is questionable," thinks Hawkins, " whether any other country affords more pleasure. Infinite is the variety of sports and games that the elements yield us." England has more parks than all Europe besides. "No country can equal it in sound of belie." In fact, everything in the island is of the best quality, not excepting the climate, for which Such is the title given byone Richard Haw- wo, degenerate offspring of our sires, are

1658." In these days of national self-depreties fight till death parts them. And clation, when so many Englishmen seem such are the cocks." Even English crifiends of every country gave their own, it is minals are superior to those of other lands; refreshing to meet a writer who honestly Sir Thomas Smith (Elizabeth's Secretary of and heartily believed that England was the State) having noted that "in no place shall best of all countries to live in, and that the you see malefactors go more constantly, English was beyond all compare the greatest more assuredly, and with less lamentation

soldiers within the fair and strong city The book is divided into two parts, the of Amiens, where "they had plenty of wine first treating wholly of war and of English set before them, and tables of salt meats to prowess therein. Peace the author confesses whet on the liquor, and were assisted by the to be an angel's theme; still it is "but an greatest drinkers of France; and this entertuinment they had for three days together all other terrene felicities) good only in its so that they could not but be much height-turn." War had also its season, "for," had ened and elevated by the wine. An yet, not Lord Bacon said, "there is no body which Comines wonders at, there was not either natural or politic which can be health in all this time any manner of tumult ful without exercise; and certainly to a king- disorder, or quarrelling." The worst dom or estate a just and honourable war is fault that Hawkins can see in his compatriots is their excessive generosity towards conquered enomies : "I could wish they were not too open-hearted in their treaties; for

SCARLET FEVER IN HORSES. For some time past scarlet fever among CASSUMBHOY, Opposite City Hall. horses has attracted considerable attention. He cites, too, the testimony of Sir Roger and committees from three medical societies. Williams, an old officer who had held the are now investigating the subject. The Catholic King's commission and afterwards disease was first described in horses, in 1514, served against Spain in France and the Low and from that date to 1610 there are Countries; and who was persuaded that evidences showing its simultaneous appear-10,000 of our nation would beat 30,000 ance in both horses and men. The conclu-Spaniards out of the field, "let them be sion has been drawn by some writers that it chosen where they list, saving some 5,000 " originated in horses and was by them comof their picked troops. Alva's veterans municated to man. The New York Sun were equal foes, by men of other nations reports Dr. John C. Peters, chairman of each even reputed invincible; and it is with par- committee, as saying ;-" The most remarkdouable pride that Hawkins points out how able results have been obtained by D. J. W. the English first showed to the world Stockler, of Orange, N.J. He had some equine that "the European monarch might be virus sent to him by Dr. Williams, of Edindealt with." So it was the peculiar burgh. Dr. Steckler inoculated twelve chilglory of the Athenians, as Hero dren, who were afterwards exposed to the dotus insists, that first of the Greeks they disease of scarlet fever, and did not take it. dared to look the Medes in the face. There That was last May or June. He has inoculated is a tradition that at the siege of Amione by two young colts and reproduced the disease Henry the Great a soldier of the Spanish among them. He failed with a calf, showing garrison said to one of the English contin- that the horses were more susceptible of the gent: "You are all tall soldiers, and there- disease. Another set of children was inconfors when you come down to the trenches we lated, all of whom were living in the same double our guards and look for blows; but room where a case of scarlet fever had broken for the French, when they come down we out. Some who had been exposed before make account we have nothing to do but to the inoculation took the disease, but a play or sleep on the ramparts." What the majority escaped. There was only one case French thought of us is illustrated by an that looked like failure. Dr. Steckler will culanecdots, which refers to a period when the tivate the virus and prove his experiments. memories of Edward III. and Henry V.'s He is sure to meet with great opposition, successes might be supposed to have been and possibly as much as Jenner did, but I partially obliterated by those of Joan of Arc have no doubt he has made a discovery as words which the Chinese have of late years been and Dunois. The Bretons, it would seem, great as Jenner's and one that will prove as on the invasion of the duchy by Charles signal an epoch in the history of medicine." VIII., clothed 1,500 of their mon in Eng- Cleanliness in the stable, good ventilation, lish "cassocks," hoping thereby to have pure water, and reliable disinfectants, are the best preventives .- Public Opinion

ED MEATS AND MILK. can take comfort that it showed the stuff of E. Jesson has recently completed some principle hitherto attained. The typography Louise which his countrymen, were made. Poring interesting investigations regarding the time displays the success of an attompt to make the Milton over the narrative of the struggle between required to digest meat and milk propared Chinese and English type correspond in the size Quickstep King and Parimment, we are too engressed in different ways. His first experiments of body, thereby effecting a vast sconomy of to care what foreigners said as they looked were made with artificial gastric juice. space, achieving a clearness not previously attained, and dispensing with those vast margins on. Apparently they were amazed at the Twenty-five grammes of beef were placed attained, and dispensing with those vast margins on A. E. Sleeper Oct. 29 Sleeper energy of fury with which the islanders flew in it for 24 hours, and the undissolved terized Chinese publications.

A. E. Sleeper Oct. 29 Sleeper of fury with which the islanders flew in it for 24 hours, and the undissolved terized Chinese publications. at one another's throats. "What was a portion weighed at the end of that time. Of To illustrate the vast scope of the work, the Chihaya Maru Jan. wonder abrond was none here, to have more the raw beef about 51 grammes only following facts are submitted for consideration :- Chingtah than one battle in a year; all manner of remained, of the half cooked 94 to 94 Chalmers" Vocabulary contains about 16,000 Clare Babuyan Jan. other warlike action was brisk." Our own grammes, while that which was well done Chinese characters, and Medhurst's English Flodden experiences of Alma and Balaklave are left from 17 to 18 grammes. The next and Chinese Dictionary about 100,000, whilst F.P. Litchfield Jan. and Chinese Dictionary about 100,000 English George Oct. anticipated in a passage of some eloquence: experiments were made on a dog with an "Certainly as soon as ever the trumpets opening in the stomach. Here too the raw ters. Again, despite all the grammars and H. E. Tapley Jon. sounded to the wars English courage meat digested more quickly than boiled or other elementary works as yet published, the Jarfalcon roused itself after such a manner as one would roasted meat. The time for raw beef was 5.3 to student of this difficult, language absolutely rehave thought it had never been laid asieep by 5.5 hours. Experiments were also made upon quires, examples, to display the various appli- Minna so long a peace." Of the triumphs of men by introducing 100 grammes of meat and cations and equivalents of different words which Omega the Commonwealth over foreign enemies 300 c.c. of water into an empty stomach, have one general meaning. Of these examples Stephan Hawkins, writes with the enthusiasm After a certain time the contents of the this work contains more than five times as of a patriot and a republican. It " lived not stomach were pumped out, and if the lished out a lustre," he says, "yet conquered Scot. microscope detected no muscle fibres, the diland, Ireland, and several other smaller is cestion was considered finished. The time re- the work is so complete, that a reference to its lands, made other nations feel its force . . . | quired was as follows: - Raw beef, shaved fine, pages enables a person who understands English and was going on in such a career of action 2 hours; half done boiled beef, shaved fine, to communicate effectively with natives who as was not to be stopped by a human power. 2½ hours; well done boiled beef, shaved understand nothing but Chinese. In this respect Alms Nov. 10 Brasses. It was only capable of being ruined fine, 3 hours; half done roasted, shaved fine, 4 the work will be found indispensable to all Black Diamond Oct. 2 Boyd the work will be found indispensable to all Nov. 23 Smith Diana Nov. 23 Smith Diana Oct. 2 Paterson Control of the market of the reserve of his Highness the Lord Protector, hours; raw mutton. 2 hours; raw veal, 21 very few indeed of themselves it explains subjects fully with which he clearly implies that to his mind the republicant form of government, came to an only mants with milk such a quantity was given. lican form of government, came to an end ments with milk such a quantity was given in China it cannot but be invaluable occasion. Helena with the adoption of the Humble Petition and as to correspond in the quantity of nitrogen ally. Advice. But being an Englishman first of it contained to 100 grammes of beef. The all, he is content with any form of govern- time was as follows :- 602 c.c. raw cow's milk, ment under which the country can have, not 31 hours; 602 c.c. boiled cow's milk, 4 hours; so much material prosperity (which he con- 602 c.c. sour cow's milk, 3 hours; 675 c.c. siders a secondary matter), but honour and skimmed cow's milk, 32 hours; 655 a.c. raw glory. It is no wonder, therefore, that he goat's milk, 81 hours. - Zeilschrift für Biofeels hopeful while the sword of State is in logie.

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